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NOTICE OF CALL FOR HART COUNTY SPECIAL LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF HART COUNTY, GEORGIA:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 7th day of November, 2023, an election will be held at the regular polling places in all the election districts of Hart County, Georgia, at which time there will be submitted to the qualified voters of Hart County, Georgia, for their determination the question of whether a one percent (1%) special purpose sales and use tax shall be imposed upon all sales and uses in Hart County, Georgia, for a period not to exceed six (6) years to raise an estimated \$30,000,000 to be used for capital outlay projects ("the Projects") specified in the form of the ballot set forth below:

- () Yes Shall a special one percent sales and use tax be imposed in the special district of Hart County for a period of time not to exceed 24 calendar quarters (six years) and for the raising of an estimated amount of \$36,000,000 for the purpose of:
 - (1) funding of county-wide capital outlay projects for drinking water expansion in the aggregate amount of \$4,647,800.00 and economic development capital outlay projects in the aggregate amount of \$2,500,000;
 - (2) funding of Hart County Fire Department capital outlay projects and equipment in the aggregate amount of \$4,000,000.00; public safety capital outlay projects and equipment in the aggregate amount of \$12,000,000.00; and

to recreation capital projects in the aggregate amount of \$500,000.00;

- (3) funding City of Hartwell capital outlay projects for Water and Sewer improvements and Public Safety Capital improvements in the aggregate amount of \$5,190,000;
- (4) funding of City of Royston capital outlay projects for Street, Road and Bridge Improvements, water system improvements (including retirement of previously incurred general obligation debt (GEFA loan for water meters), Public Safety, and Recreation in the aggregate amount of \$716,800;
- (5) funding of Bowersville capital outlay projects for Streets and Roads, water system improvements, renovation of Town buildings, and replacement of Town equipment in the aggregate amount of \$371,200.
- (6) Funding of Canon capital outlay projects for recreation implements, roads and street improvement, and water system improvements in the aggregate amount of \$74,200.

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Board of Elections and Registration, Hart County

Hart County Board of Elections and Registration Election Superintendent